## UTAH DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

# REQUEST FOR INJECTABLE ANTIBIOTICS

#### **For Non-Traditional Clients**

Patient name:	Medicaid ID #:			
Prescriber Name:	Prescriber NPI#:	Cor	ntact person:	
Prescriber Phone#:	Extension/Option:		Fax#:	
Pharmacy:	_Pharmacy Phone#:		_Pharmacy Fax #:	
Requested Medication:		Strength:	Frequency/Day:	
All information to	be legible, complete	and correct	or form will be returned	

# FAX DOCUMENTATION FROM <u>PROGRESS NOTES</u> AND THIS COMPLETED FORM TO (801) 536-0477

# **CRITERIA FOR INJECTABLE ANTIBIOTICS:**

- Injectable antibiotics and diluents associated with the preparation and administration of injectable antibiotics are available under the following circumstances:
  - o Continuation of treatment that was started in the hospital,
  - o Documented diagnosis of cellulitis,
  - o Documented diagnosis of osteomyelitis.
- Prior Authorization request MUST include an anticipated duration of therapy.

# **NOTES:**

This request form is to be used only for Non-Traditional Medicaid clients (blue card). Traditional Medicaid clients (purple card), in general, do not require clinical prior authorization for IV antibiotic therapy.

## **AUTHORIZATION:**

Prior authorization will be granted for the requested duration of therapy.

## **RE-AUTHORIZATION:**

Telephone call from the physician's office or pharmacy to (801) 538-6155, option 3, 3, 2.

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http://health.utah.gov/medicaid/pharmacy